



Docket No.: 60188-051

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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Satoshi ISHIKURA, et al. : Confirmation Number: 6764  
Serial No.: 09/837,450 ✓ : Group Art Unit: 2811  
Filed: April 19, 2001 : Allowed: September 03, 2004  
: Examiner: OWENS, Douglas W.  
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING NOISE IMMUNITY (As Amended)

**REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE CITED ART**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

We are in receipt of the Notice of Allowance dated September 03, 2004.

In reviewing the file, it is noted that we have not received acknowledgement of the Information Disclosure Statement and cited art filed November 3, 2003. Enclosed are copies of the Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and stamped return postcard acknowledgement.

Applicants hereby respectfully request that:

- (1) the appropriately acknowledged PTO-1449 be furnished to Applicants; and
- (2) the record be clarified to confirm that the cited art has been considered and made of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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